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APPLICANT: Seita et al.
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FOR: FORMALDEHYDE-FREE ELECTROLESS COPPER PLATING
PROCESS AND SOLUTION FOR USW IN THE PROCESS

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Applicants are in receipt of the Office Action dated October 5, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

A listing of pending claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks being on page 5 of this paper.